

GO BEYOND
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Covenant Warriors, I sense that the Lord is saying that 2016 is a year of going over and above the call of duty. This is an expansion year. It is time to expand or increase the Kingdom of God and to build the new edifice. We are in intense spiritual warfare. We accepted the Call to Duty; thus, we must go BEYOND the norm in every area of our walk with the Lord. According to Webster New Collegiate Dictionary, beyond means: (1) on or to the farther side of (2b) in a degree or amount surpassing, (3) in addition to: over and above. Go beyond your regular prayer time. Go beyond your Bible study time. Each must go beyond your regular amount of giving. It is time to go deeper in every area. This is a year of fine-tuning. We must pay attention to the details as we work towards the overall goal of expanding (increasing) the Kingdom.

In order to GO BEYOND to establish My covenant, you must continue to operate in FAITH – acting on what you believe. Habakkuk 2:4b (KJV) The just shall live by faith. Hebrews 11:6 (AMP) But without faith it is impossible to please and be satisfactory to Him. For whoever would come near to God must (necessarily) believe that God exists and that He is the rewarder of those who earnestly and diligently seek Him (out).

Finally, 2016 is a year where the love of God must be in the front with actions and demonstrations. Go beyond the “like” kind of love to Agape, the deep God kind of love. John 3:16 (KJV) For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life. We must so love the Lord in order to love each other, the lost, hurting, etc. The love is to be demonstrated by showing them the path to salvation. We recruit by demonstrating the Love of the Lord, teach them the way, and duplicate or recycle the process. John 13:34 (KJV) A new commandment I give unto you, that ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another.

Catch the vision Covenant Warriors. The vision is yet for an appointed time and the time is NOW. Go farther, in addition to, surpassing, over and above. BEYOND!!!